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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of June 7, 2006, Applicant elects Group I., Claims 1-5
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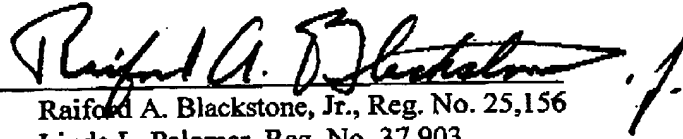
Applicant expressly reserves the right to file claims relating to the non-elected invention
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Should the Examiner have any questions regarding this Response, the Examiner is invited to contact one of the undersigned attorneys at (312) 704-1890.

Respectfully submitted,

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